
Lake County Chapter of Abate, eternal Order of Eagles Okahumpka July 7, 2024 34 members present

Terry called the meeting to order, followed by Pledge of allegiance & moment of silence, & prayer by the Chaplin.

PRESIDENT: Griz welcomed back people who haven't been at a meeting in a while. He spoke about ways to make money for the chapter. A Motion was made by Shoe String to make a donation to St. Jude's, 2nd by Sugar Mamma, No discussion all were in favor, Motion passed. Motion made to make a donation to the Toy Run by Joyce, 2nd by Jessie. No Discussion, all were in Favor, Motion passed. Ron Jon volunteered to set up a safety booth at Gator Harley after the runs, & VP Joe said he also would help. Griz mentioned we need sponsors, & explained what sponsorship is.

VICE PRESIDENT: Joe spoke about Bike Night at Cross Roads, we need more participation. He also mentioned we need a guest speaker for the State Meeting.

SECRETARY: Marie thanked Vera & all for their help while she was in the hospital & after home recouping. A motion was called to accept minutes as printed, 2nd & no changes needed. All in favor Motion passed.

TREASURER: Jane gave her report, Motion to accept was called for all were in favor, Motion passed.

SGT AT ARMS: Terry has nothing to report.

MEMBERSHIP: RonJon mentioned we have 278 members, 2 new, & 1 renew. He spoke about the ATF, Federal Laws, Supreme Court & new laws.

PRODUCTS: Jessie mentioned we have new patches, CUSME shirts for sale \$20.00.

NEWS LETTER: Vera spoke about the Shoe Drive. Please bring a kids pair of shoes to the Aug Mtg size 5 to 7.

LEGISLATIVE: Joyce spoke on the candidates running & she will attend any & all meet & greets effect July 1st.

STATE REPS: Steve gave his report on the State Mtg held by Bone Yard Chapter, Pasco County. For more info please see the Master Link. The next State Meeting will be held in Lake County, by our Chapter August 10th.

WEBMASTER: Bob was not present to report.

SAFETY: Bubbles mentioned we need to teach more Safety Classes. & do more Safety Booths.

ROAD CPT: Russ working on a ride before the State Meeting. For the Seminars leave Circle K 561/448 10:00AM 7/19.

BILLING: Jessie had nothing to report.

PR COMMUNICATIONS: Jessie mentioned Youth Ranch Run, August 3rd, & Too Broke for Sturgis Ride.

HOSPITALITY: Little Bit spoke about the State Meeting & the hotel. All venues are the same as last year. Fri night meet & great is 6 - 8 bring a side dish. Jane will be getting a sheet cake for our chapters 37th Birthday

OLD BUSINESS: Raigan mentioned the plaque for Mecum.

NEW BUSINESS: A motion was made for 2025 State meeting dates for Lake County Chapter to host Aug 2025 by Joyce, & 2nd by Lil Bit. No discussion, all in favor. Motion passed. Steve brought up doing a Shrimp Boil again. This discussion was tabled to next chapter meeting.

GOOD OF THE ORDER: July 27th Friends Ride for Kids. Aug 24th Sea 2 Sea Run leaving from Am Vets in Mt. Dora. St. Jude's Run Oct 5th. Toy Run, Dec 7th, Casino Night Sun Lake Estates to benefit St. Jude's

A Motion to adjourn was called for. See you all soon, I hope your sec, Marie

June 24, 2024 BOARD MEETING

Vice President JOE: brought meeting to order

President GRIZ: absent out of town

VP: JOE calling for more attendance at Fri nite bike nites – the 2 baskets won were donated back to chapter.

Secretary: MARIE – on phone due to health – need to find someone to take min for July's general mtg

Treasurer SHORTCAKE: Tags for 3 trailers obtained and registrations are posted in each trailer –

Griz planning on getting new door locks and Vera is looking into GPS units

Sgt. of Arms TERRY:

Membership: RONJON absent

Products- Billing – PR/COMM: JESSIE absent

Newsletter VERA: absent

Legislative: Joyce big things are going on – spoke about the candidates who are running

State Reps: Steve will give report at general mtg

Webmaster Beamer BOB: absent

Safety Director: BUBBLES - absent

Road Captain: RUSS ride after mtg to Gator Bay – Houdini has flyers for 10% off

CTST: BRAT will attend next CTST mtg

Hospitality: Lil Bit: State Mtg – same hotel – 6-8 meet/greet

Old business: None.

New business: Shortcake is thinking about cancelling Boat Day & doing Sea –Sea for PTSD

Good of the Order: NONE

Steve called for meeting to end – all agreed

June 2024 – copy of meeting minutes approved at July meeting

Board meeting minutes- before general mtg -- June 2- time 11:15. Shortcake gave a report that was texted to her by Lil Bit, -- same hotel as last year, the Holiday Inn, Wildwood at \$107 per night. Meeting hall will be at the Leesburg Moose cost \$300 for hall rental.....Chicken to be purchased, Joyce to make coleslaw, Shortcake rolls, Vera & Jessie, green beans & potatoes. Need coolers for soda pop & water. Lil Bit to solicit desserts from members at next General meeting for Aug 10 th state mtg. Meet & greet Fri Aug 9 th at the hotel from 6-8. Vera to add President & VP's cell number to flyer & send to Brandy. This concludes meeting minutes at 11:40.

JUNE 2, 2024 ABATE of FL, Inc - Lake County Chapter Minutes – Meeting at Eagles in Okahumpka

Bronx, Sgt@Arms called the meeting to order at noon, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, a moment of silence for fallen brothers & sisters, & a prayer by **Chaplin James Smith**.

President is on his way

Vice President Steve opened with Tate is running late, should be here shortly. We have a good turnout today thank you all for attending. Elections will be under old business & keep Marie in your thoughts who is in the hospital. Charlie & Joe donated a July 4 basket for raffle-- money to go towards Christmas party.

Secretary Marie absent, Vera as acting secretary.

Treasurer Shortcake gave a detailed report.

Sgt@Arms Bronx thank everyone for their support this last year.

Membership RonJon check your cards for expiration so that your insurance does not expire. Keep membership applications with you at all times. If you got a second notice from AIG , ignore it.

Products/billing/PR Comm Jessie has new T-shirts & Campground T-shirts left over. Took a count of how many people want her to order RIP patches for Painter & Richard. Crossroads paid for advertising till the end of the year.

Newsletter Vera posted the June issue on Facebook

Legislative Joyce has only found one meet & greet & it was \$15 for an entry fee. Read through your advertising materials that you get in the mail for election info on candidates who are running for office.

State Delegates state meeting June 7 -9 hosted by Boneyard chapter.

Safety Interim Bubbles says we have lots of safety products --- so let's start setting up tables at events.

RD CAPT Russ Painters Pool Tradition will be at Franks Place—Leesburg after mtg. State meeting in Pasco County this coming weekend leaving June 7 at 11:00am from the 7-Eleven, corner of Highway 50 & 33 Groveland .

Web Bob absent.

Hospitality Lil Bit absent.

Old business motion passed to get the light tower fixed through Fred with a cap of \$550.

Onto elections

ABATE of FL Inc. 2024 – 26.....the vote went to the unopposed board members with the exception of Martha to be Safety Director & Legislative Trustee & Patrick King to be MasterLink editor & PR/Comm.

Chapter elections went as following for 2024–2025

President Griz

Vice President Joe

Marie Secretary

Shortcake Treasure

Terry, Sgt@Arms

RonJon Membership

Jessie Products/Billing/PR

Vera Newsletter

Joyce Legislative

State Delegates --- & ---

Bubbles Safety Interim

Web Beamer Bob
Lil Bit Hospitality
Houdini & Termite, Food/Beverage
James Chaplin.

New business motion to donate to the United Lake County Toy Run & donation to Saint Jude's ride was tabled until we find out the amount we donated last year. 50/50 won by Cowboy & Vera won the basket. Thank you to the 39 people who attended . Meeting closed at approximately 1:30. These minutes have been summarized by your acting secretary, Vera
See you on the road....

MAY 2024 – No minutes are available to webmaster as of Sunday, July 14 2024

APRIL 2024 – copy of meeting minutes as submitted for approval at May meeting

Lake County Chapter of ABATE Chapter Minutes held at the FOE Okahumpka -April 8, 2024
John L(Bronx) called the Meeting to Order followed by the Pledge of Allegiance & a moment of silence.

PRESIDENT: Tate spoke about the Bill on the gov's desk please call his office to get it signed. He also mentioned the fact that 3 people were killed this past weekend on Bikes & this is the reason we fight for what we stand for.

VICE PRESIDENT: Steve spoke on the ride sponsored by the Eagle Riders that he attended & how well it went.

SECRETARY: Marie asked for a Motion to accept the minutes as printed, had nothing to report, 2nd by Bronx, no discussion all were in favor, Motion passed.

TREASURER: Jane gave her report.

SGT@ARMS: Bronx spoke about the campground & needing help with security & help for set up April 20th.

MEMBERSHIP: Ron Jon was not present to report.

PRODUCTS: Jessie talked about the new products we will be receiving from the State. Campground shirts will be sold for the same as regular products shirts 20 & 25 Hats 15. Tate mentioned the memorial vest will be at the campground.

NEWSLETTER: Vera had nothing to report.

LEGISLATIVE: Joyce spoke on getting the Bill signed that is sitting on the governor's desk. She also attended a few meet & greets & spoke about the candidates running for positions.

STATE REPS: Next state meeting in Melbourne, April 13. If riding up Fri will be leaving at 10AM from 561&448.

WEB MASTER: Bob mentioned please look at the page and give him input.

ROAD CAPTAIN: Russ is setting up poker Run –will start at Campground.

BILLING: Jessie spoke about sponsors.

HOSPITALITY: Little Bit spoke about the State Meeting in Aug that our chapter is hosting, same hotel as last year we will discuss helpers & food as we get closer. She also will send a card to Ron Jon for his sisters passing.

OLD BUSINESS: There was none.

NEW BUSINESS: The first round of nominations was held, Griz was the chairperson. President: Tate was nominated & accepted.

Vice President: Russ was nominated & accepted.

Secretary: Marie was nominated & accepted.

Treasurer: Jane was nominated & accepted. Raigan was nominated & accepted.

Sgt At Arms: Joe Cramer was nominated & accepted. Bronx was nominated & declined.

Membership: Ron Jon was nominated but was not present to accept.

Products: Jessie was nominated & accepted.

News Letter: Vera was nominated & accepted.

Legislative Rep: Joyce was nominated & accepted.

Road Capt: Russ was nominated & accepted. Bronx was nominated & accepted.

Web Master: Bob was nominated & accepted.

Billing: Jessie was nominated & accepted.

Hospitality: Lil Bit was nominated & accepted.

PR & Communications: Bronx was nominated & accepted. Jessie was nominated & accepted. Nominations was closed till next chapter meeting in May.

Good of the Order: Steve presented Raigan with a follow the pack gift after her bike accident returning from Tallahassee Griz spoke on Illinois Helmet law.

Cancun reminded everyone May is Motorcycle Awareness month A motion was conclude the meeting was called for & seconded.

Ride safe everyone – see you at the campground. These minutes have been summarized by your secretary, Marie